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TAGS: OEXC (FRANKLIN, JOHN HOPE)

SUBJECT: BFS LINCOLN LECTURER

JOHN HOPE FRANKLIN, PROFESSOR OF AMERICAN HISTORY,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ONE OF FOUR DISTINGUISHED LECTURERS
SELECTED BY BOARD OF FOREIGN SCHOLARSHIPS UNDER THE 1972-73
LINCOLN LECTURESHIP PROGRAM, WILL BE AVAILABLE DURING
PERIOD APPROXIMATELY JUNE 19- JULY 15 FOR GUEST LECTURES AND
OTHER APPEARANCES BEFORE UNIVERSITY AND OTHER APPROPRIATE
AUDIENCES IN ADDRESSEE COUNTRIES IF POST AND BINATIONAL
COMMISSION BELIEVE SUITABLE PROGRAM BEFORE KEY AUDIENCES
CAN BE ARRANGED.

LINCOLN LECTURER PROGRAM INTENDED BY BFS TO HIGHLIGHT ACA-
DEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AND PROVIDE NEW RESOURCE FOR STIMULATING
INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION OF SCHOLARS. EXPENSES COVERED
FROM SEPARATE FUNDS NOT CHARGEABLE TO COUNTRY ALLOCATION.
BFS AND DEPARTMENT INTENTIONS HAVE SUCH LECTURESHIPS
IDENTIFIED WITH BINATIONAL COMMISSION AND UNDER IT AND BFS
SPONSORSHIP WHEREVER APPROPRIATE.

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WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA HAS BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION RE FRANKLIN.
ON CURRENT SOUTH AMERICAN LINCOLN LECTURESHIP HE HAS THREE
TOPICS ON WHICH HE IS SPEAKING: (1) ASPECTS OF THE BLACK
REVOLUTION IN THE UNITED STATES, (2) HISTORIANS AND PUBLIC
POLICY ISSUES IN THE UNITED STATES, (3) RECENT TRENDS IN

HISTORICAL RESEARCH AND WRITING.

REQUEST PRELIMINARY REPLY SOONEST RE YOUR INTEREST HAVING
FRANKLIN APPEAR; TYPES OF INSTITUTIONS, ORGANIZATIONS,
CITIES AND AUDIENCES LIKELY INTERESTED; BINATIONAL COM-
MISSION WILLINGNESS TO BE ASSOCIATED AS SPONSOR, ANY PRE-
FERRED DATES FOR VISIT AND SUGGESTED NUMBER OF DAYS. IF
JUNE- JULY TIME FRAME NOT SATISFACTORY PLEASE SO ADVISE
RATHER THAN ATTEMPTING ARRANGE PROGRAM OF MARGINAL VALUE
POST/ COMMISSION AND NOT PROFESSIONALLY CHALLENGING TO HIM.
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